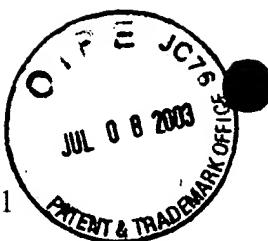


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Sir :

In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56, §1.97-1.98, Applicants hereby call the following document, which was cited in a Supplementary European Search Report dated April 8, 2003 for corresponding European Patent Application No. EP 00 93 4807, to the Examiner's attention:

U.S. Patent No. 5,214,279 to HAKAMATA, issued on May 25, 1993.

The category of relevance and pertinent portions of this document are as noted on the attached copy of the Supplementary European Search Report. Applicants note that the above-mentioned document was cited by the Examiner in an Office Action issued in the instant application on April 7, 2003, and thus, a copy of the same is not attached hereto. Since no new material is being called to the Examiner's attention, Applicants believe that no fee is necessary to ensure consideration of this statement. Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the patent document and the Supplementary European Search Report.

Should the Examiner have any questions, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the below-listed telephone number.

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